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TO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

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FOLLOWING REPEAT JIDDA 1817 ACTION SECSTATE 8 MAR 77

QUOTE C O N F I D E N T I A L JIDDA 1817

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ENRG, IR, SA,

SUBJECT: IRANIAN THREAT TO UAE

REF: JIDDA 1187

1. CROWN PRINCE HAS SENT ME ANOTHER MESSAGE RECALLING  
PREVIOUS STATEMENT (REFTEL) CONCERNING IRANIAN THREATS MADE TO  
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES. HE ASKED IF WE HAD ANY WAY OF  
CONVEYING TO SHAH THAT "SAUDI ARABIA WILL NOT TOLERATE THEIR  
ABUSE OF THE UAE OR OPEC." HE HAD SENT KAMAL ADHAM TO  
IRAN WITH TWO MESSAGES FOR THE SHAH: "NO MORE CRITICISM OF SA  
AND UAE OIL POLICY; THE ATTACKS SHOULD STOP; THIS IS THE  
THIRD TIME WE HAVE ASKED THEM AND WE'RE TIRED OF IT."

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THE SECOND MESSAGE WAS, "IF YOU HAVE FINANCIAL PROBLEMS  
WE WILL OFFER YOU A LOAN."

2. ORDINARILY I WOULD BE CALLED TO SEE HIM FOR THIS AND  
OTHER SUBJECTS, BUT OF LATE THERE HAS BEEN CONSIDERABLE  
PREOCCUPATION IN THE PALACE WITH THE KING'S ILLNESS. I WILL  
SEE HIM AS SOON AS I HEAR THAT THINGS HAVE SETTLED DOWN

SOMEWHAT, PROBABLY NEXT WEEK. IN MEANTIME, IF DEPARTMENT HAS  
ANY INFORMATION LIKELY TO CALM HIM I WILL GET IT TO HIM.  
PORTER  
UNQUOTE VANCE

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